GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
FINANCE
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1314
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WORLD BANK AIDED TO KARNATAKA
PUTTASWAMY GOWDA;RUDRAGOUDA PATIL

Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Wrold Bank has adopted Karnataka State as one of the focus State in the country;

(b) if so, the projects in the State for which World Bank assistance is being obtained; and

(c) the details of progress made in the negotiations to obtain such financial assistance

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE (SHRI BALASAHEB VIKHE PATIL)

(a) Karnataka is one of the states, which the World Bank has suggested to be their focus state.

(b) & (c) A statement showing projects in respect of Karnataka which have been posed to the World Bank for financial assistance, is an Annexure. These projects are under consideration of the World Bank.

ANNEXURE

Statement as referred in Lok Sabha question No. 1314 showing projects in the State of Karnataka, which have been posed to the World Bank for financial assistance

S.N.	Name of Project	Progress/ Status
1.	Karnataka Watershed Development Project	Posed to the World Bank on 4.6.2000
2.	Karnataka Community Based Tank Improvement Project	Posed to the World Bank on 5.10.2000
3.	Karnataka Rural Water Supply and Environment Sanitation Project Phase II	Posed to the World Bank on 25.5.99
4.	Karnataka Water & Urban Management Project	Project Preparation Facility (PPF) was signed in January 2000
5.	Karnataka State Highway Improvement Project	Project is under preparation with Technical Assistance from the World Bank
6.	Karnataka Economic Restructuring Programme	Posed to the World Bank